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VIA HAND DELIVERY

Application of Memphis Networx, LLC for a Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity to RE: Provide Intrastate Telecommunication Services and Joint Petition of Memphis Light, Gas & Water Division, a Division of the City of Memphis, Tennessee ("MLGW") and A&L Networks-Tennessee, LLC ("A&L") for Approval of Agreement between MLGW and A&L regarding Joint Ownership of Memphis Networx, LLC; Docket No. 99-00909 - Motion for Permission to File, at a Later Date, the Affidavit of George Alexander Lowe, II, In Opposition to Intervenors' Motion to Lift **Protective Order**

Dear Mr. Waddell:

Enclosed you will find the original and thirteen (13) of the motion of Memphis Networx, LLC, Memphis Light, Gas & Water Division and A&L Networks-Tennessee, LLC for Permission to File, at a Later Date, the Affidavit of George Alexander Lowe, II, In Opposition to Intervenors' Motion to Lift Protective Order.

Sincerely,

JKW/kms

Enclosures

cc:

Parties of Record

J. Maxwell Williams, Esq.

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BEFORE THE TENNESSEE REGULATORY AUTHORITY NASHVILLE, TENNESSEE

IN RE: APPLICATION OF MEMPHIS)	
NETWORX, LLC FOR A CERTIFICATE OF	í	
PUBLIC CONVENIENCE AND)	•
NECESSITY TO PROVIDE INTRASTATE)	
TELECOMMUNICATION SERVICES)	
AND JOINT PETITION OF MEMPHIS)	
LIGHT, GAS AND WATER DIVISION,)	DOCKET NO. 99-00909
A DIVISION OF THE CITY OF MEMPHIS,)	
TENNESSEE ("MLGW"), A&L)	
NETWORKS-TENNESSEE, LLC ("A&L"))	,	•
FOR APPROVAL OF AGREEMENT)	-
BETWEEN MLGW AND A&L REGARDING)	
JOINT OWNERSHIP OF MEMPHIS)	•
NETWORX, LLC.	<i>)</i>	
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MOTION FOR PERMISSION TO FILE, AT A LATER DATE, THE AFFIDAVIT OF GEORGE ALEXANDER LOWE, II IN OPPOSITION TO INTERVENORS' MOTION TO LIFT PROTECTIVE ORDER

Applicants/Joint Petitioners hereby move that they be allowed to file, at a later date, the Affidavit of George Alexander Lowe, II, in opposition to Intervenor's Motion to Lift Protective Order.

Based upon the attached Affidavit of John Knox Walkup, it is asserted that Mr. Lowe should be allowed the ability to file an affidavit in relation to Intervenor's Motion to Lift Protective Order. Mr. Lowe is presently unavailable for the execution of such an affidavit and is unavailable to be contacted concerning such due to travel. This request is made to protect Mr. Lowe's ability to file an affidavit, as soon as is possible, in opposition to Intervenor's efforts to remove "protective order" status from Mr. Lowe's personal financial information.

Accordingly, it is requested that Mr. Lowe be given the ability to file, as soon as practicable, his affidavit addressing the issues at bar which relate to public dissemination of the currently protected personal financial information.

Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I, John Knox Walk Phereby certify that on this 3 day of July, 2000,

a true and correct copy of the foregoing was delivered by hand delivery, facsimile or U.S. Mail postage pre-paid to the Counsel of Record listed below.

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AFFIDAVIT OF JOHN KNOX WALKUP

STATE OF TENNESSEE)	
)	ss:
COUNTY OF DAVIDSON)	

Having been duly sworn, I, John Knox Walkup, do attest to the following:

- 1. I am of majority age and have personal knowledge of the matters set forth herein.
- 2. I am counsel for Memphis Networx, LLC and A&L Networks-Tennessee, LLC in the above-styled proceeding.
- 3. Mr. George Alexander Lowe, II, is Manager for Aptus Networks, LLC and A&L Networks-Tennessee, LLC.
- 4. Having been involved in the circumstances leading up to the tendering of Mr. Lowe's personal financial information under the Protective Order in this action, I do state that it is my firm belief that Mr. Lowe would desire to submit an affidavit in opposition to the pending Motion to Lift the Protective Order.

- 5. Mr. Lowe, however, is unavailable to execute such an affidavit for filing today because of travel. I have not previously been aware of his unavailability. I am making this filing solely to protect his interests in this matter.
- 6. I would respectfully request that Mr. Lowe be allowed to submit an affidavit in relation to this Motion to Lift the Protective Order as soon as he is able to do so.

FURTHER THE AFFIANT SAITH NOT.

JOHN KNOX WALKUP

WITNESS my hand, at office, this day of July, 2000.

NOTARY PUBLIC

My Commission Expires:

March 23, 2002

NOTARY PUBLIC AT LARGE

My Commission Expires MAR 23, 2002